Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim1 (currently amended): A plant or yeast eukaryotic cell that comprises a prokaryotic recombinase polypeptide or a nucleic acid that encodes the prokaryotic recombinase, wherein the recombinase is capable of mediating site-specific recombination in the eukaryotic cell between an attB recombination site and an attP recombination site to form an attL and an attR site; and wherein the recombinase is not capable of mediating in the eukaryotic cell recombination between the attL site and the attR site, wherein the recombinase is a bacteriophage ΦC31 integrase; and only one attP or only one attB recombination site of bacteriophage ΦC31 integrase integrated in its genome.

Claims 2 to 5 (canceled).

Claim 6 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 1, wherein the cell comprises a nucleic acid that comprises a coding sequence for the recombinase polypeptide, which coding sequence is operably linked to a promoter that mediates expression of the recombinase-encoding polynucleotide in the eukaryotic cell.

Claim 7 (original): The eukaryotic cell of claim 6, wherein the nucleic acid further comprises a selectable marker.

Claim 8 (original): The eukaryotic cell of claim 6, wherein the promoter is an inducible or a repressible promoter.

Claim 9 (canceled).

Claim 10 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 1, wherein the cell is a yeast cell.

Claim 11 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 1, wherein the eukaryotic cell is a plant cell.

Claims 12 to 35. (canceled).

Claim 36 (currently amended): A plant or yeast eukaryotic cell that comprises: an attP or attB recombination site of bacteriophage ΦC31 integrase integrated in its genome; and

a non-genomic nucleic acid comprising a heterologous nucleic acid or a transgene, and an only one attP site of bacteriophage Φ C31 integrase if the cell has the genomic attP site; wherein the eukaryotic cell further comprises a Φ C31 integrase polypeptide.

Claim 37 (previously presented). The eukaryotic cell of claim 36, wherein the non-genomic nucleic acid comprises the transgene.

Claims 38 to 42 (canceled).

Claim 43 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 36, wherein the eukaryotic cell comprises a nucleic acid that comprises a polynucleotide that encodes the Φ C31 integrase polypeptide.

Claim 44 (original). The eukaryotic cell of claim 43, wherein the nucleic acid further comprises a selectable marker.

Claim 45 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 43, wherein the nucleic acid further comprises an inducible promoter which controls expression of the Φ C31 integrase-encoding polynucleotide in the cell.

Claim 46 (canceled).

Claim 47 (previously presented): The eukaryotic cell of claim 36, wherein the plant is a dicot or a monocot.

Claims 48 to 51 (canceled).

Claim 52 (currently amended): A eucaryotic somatic cell in culture comprising:
a prokaryotic recombinase polypeptide or a nucleic acid that encodes the
prokaryotic recombinase, wherein the recombinase is capable of mediating site-specific
recombination in the eukaryotic cell between an attB recombination site and an attP
recombination site to form an attL and an attR site, and is not capable of mediating in the
eukaryotic cell recombination between the attL site and the attR site;

the attP or attB recombination site integrated in its genome;

a non-genomic nucleic acid comprising a transgene or a heterologous nucleic acid and an only one attP site if the cell has the genomic attB site or only one an attP site if the cell has the genomic attB site;

wherein the recombinase is a bacteriophage Φ C31 integrase and the attP and attB sites are bacteriophage Φ C31 integrase recombination sites.

Claims 53 to 60 (canceled).

Claim 61 (currently amended): A method for obtaining site-specific recombination in a eukaryotic cell, the method comprising:

providing a eukaryotic cell that comprises an attB recombination site $and \cdot or$ an attP recombination site or bacteriophage or or integrated in its genome and a nongenomic nucleic acid comprising a transgene or a heterologous nucleic acid and only one attP site if the cell has the genomic attB site or only one attP site if the cell has the genomic attB site;

contacting the attB and the attP recombination sites with a prokaryotic recombinase polypeptide, resulting in recombination between the recombination sites, thereby forming an attR and an attL recombination site;

wherein the recombinase polypeptide can mediate site-specific recombination between the attB and attP recombination sites, but cannot mediate recombination between the attR and attL recombination sites;

wherein the recombinase is-a bacteriophage Φ C31 integrase,

Claim 62 (previously presented) The method of claim 61, wherein the eukaryotic cell is selected from the group consisting of a yeast cell, a fungal cell, a plant cell, an insect cell and an animal cell.

Claims 63 to 64 (canceled).

Claim 65 (currently amended): The method -of claim 61 for obtaining sitespecific recombination in a eukaryotic cell, the method comprising:

<u>providing a cukaryotic cell that comprises an attB recombination site and-an</u> <u>attP recombination site of bacteriophage ΦC31 integrase</u>, wherein the attB recombination site and the attP recombination site are present on a single nucleic acid molecule;

contacting the attB and the attP recombination sites with a prokarvotic recombinase polypeptide, resulting in recombination between the recombination sites, thereby forming an attR and an attL recombination site;

wherein the recombinase polypeptide can mediate site-specific recombination between the attB and attP recombination sites, but cannot mediate recombination between the attR and attL recombination sites; and

wherein the recombinase is-a bacteriophage ΦC31 integrase.

Claim 66 (previously presented): The method of claim 65, wherein the attB recombination site and the attP recombination site are in a direct orientation and the recombination results in excision of the portion of the nucleic acid molecule that lies between the attB and attP recombination sites.

Claim 67 (canceled)

Claim 68 (currently amended): The method of claim 65, wherein the attB recombination site and the attP recombination site are in an inverted orientation and the recombination results in inversion of the portion of the nucleic acid molecule that lies between the attB and attP recombination sites.

Claim 69 (canceled).

Claim 70 (previously presented): The method of claim 61, wherein the eukaryotic cell comprises a polynucleotide that encodes the recombinase polypeptide.

Claim 71 (new). A plant regenerated from a plant eucaryotic cell of claim 36.